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SUBJECT: REQUIREMENTS FOR IMPROVING SECURITY AMCONSUL FLORENCE
AND PRINCIPAL OFFICER'S RESIDENCE

REF: ROME 7563, ROME A-130

1. FOLLOWING LIST OF PROJECTS AND COST ESTIMATES IS FORWARDED
IN ACCORDANCE WITH REFTEL. AS CONSULATE HAS INDICATED
PREVIOUSLY, ESTIMATES ARE CURRENT AND EXPERIENCE HAS
DEMONSTRATED THAT ESTIMATES ARE VALID FOR AN AVERAGE OF 40 DAYS
AND THEREAFTER SUBJECT TO INFLATIONARY INCREASE OF APPROXIMATELY
TEN PER CENT.

2. FOLLOWING PROJECTS (A-J) WERE LISTED BY ASSISTANT RSO
INSPECTION REPORT (SEE REFAIR) OR APPROVED ORALLY IN DISCUSSION
WITH ASSISTANT RSO DURING INSPECTION (PROJECTS K-O):

A. INSTALLATION OF LIGHTING FIXTURES OVER ANNEX ENTRANCE LOCATED
AT CORSO ITALIA 5 AND LUNGARNO A. VESPUCCI 46. COST LIRE
420,000

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B. INSTALLATION OF CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION SYSTEM AT CORSO
ITALIA 1 ENTRANCE WITH NECESSARY ELECTRIC LOCKS. COST LIRE
2,515,000

C. ARMORING DOOR BETWEEN CONSULAR OFFICER'S OFFICE AND
PASSPORT/CITIZENSHIP SECTION WITH SPY-EYE. COST LIRE 510,000

D. INSTALLATION OF WOOD PANELLING ABOVE VISA SECTION BULLET-
PROOF COUNTER WINDOWS. COST LIRE 210,000

E. INSTALLATION OF BARS OVER THE AIR CONDITIONER OPENING IN
THE CONSUL GENERAL'S OFFICE. COST: LIRE 160,000

F. INSTALLATION OF MICROPHONE-SPEAKER TWO-WAY SYSTEM FOR
RECEPTIONIST COMMUNICATION WITH CALLERS. COST: LIRE 190,000

G. INSTALLATION OF TWO-WAY TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM TO
ENABLE VISA CLERKS TO CONDUCT INTERVIEWS THROUGH BULLETPROOF
GLASS. COST: LIRE 195,000

H. REINFORCEMENT OF GARDEN GATES LOCKS (ELECTRICALLY
OPERATED, INVESTIGATING POSSIBILITIES OF MANUAL SYSTEM).
COST: LIRE 1,666,000

I. INSTALLATION OF ALARM SYSTEM WITH BUTTON IN SELECTED
LOCATIONS IN CONSUL GENERAL'S RESIDENCE TO SOUND IN POLICEMAN'S
AREA AND DEPUTY PRINCIPAL OFFICER'S RESIDENCE. COST: LIRE
130,000

J. INSTALLATION OF HYDRAULIC DOOR CLOSER AND AN ELECTRIC
CYPHER LOCK FOR CONSULATE/GARDEN DOOR-GATE. COST: LIRE 901,000

K. INSTALLATION OF GRILLS ON TWO WINDOWS ON THE FIRST FLOOR
IN ANNEX FACING THE GARDEN. COST: LIRE 467,000

L. SEAL UNUSED INTERIOR WINDOW BETWEEN DPO OFFICE AND FOYER
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AT CORSON ITALIA 1 ENTRANCE. COST: LIRE 110,000

M. ARMORING 3 DOORS IN ANNEX GIVING ACCESS TO USIS AND
COMMERCIAL SECTION, TWO FACING THE LUNGARNO AND ONE FACING
THE FARDEN. COST: LIRE 1,330,000

N. INSTALLATION OF AN ELECTRIC CYPHER LOCK TO OPEN THE DOOR
IN THE ANNEX BUILDING FACING THE GARDEN. COST: LIRE 133,000

O. REINFORCEMENT WITH STEEL BARS OF EXISTING MESHWORK
PROTECTING THREE AIRCONDITIONERS IN ANNEX. COST: LIRE
59,000.

3. ABOVE REQUIREMENTS CONSTITUTE AN INTEGRATED PACKAGE. TOTAL
COST LIRE 8,996,000 (OR DOLS 10,153.50 AT PRESENT RATE OF
EXCHANGE OF LIRE 886 TO DOL ONE).

4. CONSULATE UNDERSTANDS RSO ROME WILL ARRANGE PURCHASE AND
SHIPMENT OF CLASS 5 MOSLER VAULT DOOR (ROME A-130, SECTION

400.6) PER CONVERSATION FLORENCE SECURITY OFFICER AND ASSISTANT RSO. INSTALLATION COST ESTIMATE CANNOT OF COURSE BE OBTAINED BEFORE DOOR IS PHYSICALLY PRESENT FOR INSTALLATION.

5. CONSULATE AND FSO CORRECT TO GSO ROME ARE PRESENTLY CONSULTING WITH CONTRACTORS AND CIVIL AUTHORITIES REGARDING CONSTRAINTS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR EMERGENCY POWER. WHEN SPECIFICATIONS FOR EMERGENCY POWER GENERATOR UNIT ARE PREPARED, CONSULATE WILL OBTAIN AND FORWARD COST ESTIMATES FOR PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION. GORDON

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